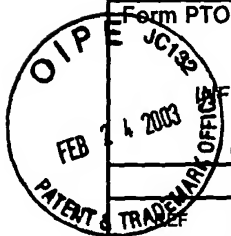


COPY OF PAPERS
ORIGINALLY FILED

Form PTO-1449		Docket Number Optional 16139/09017 (20276)		Application Number 10/068,584								
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION IN AN APPLICATION (Use several sheets if necessary)		Applicant Marton et al.		Filing Date February 5, 2002								
		Examiner Unknown HAAS		Group Art Unit Unknown 1661								
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS												
EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER							DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
WCH	4	3	3	7	6	8	3	07/06/82	Backus	84	383	
WCH	6	2	8	4	9	4	5	09/04/01	Dudits et al.	800	265	7/1997
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS												
	DOCUMENT NUMBER		DATE		NAME		CLASS		SUBCLASS		Translation YES NO	
OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)												
WCH	Christou, Myrsini, et al., "Giant Reed (Arundo donax L.) Network Improvement, Productivity and Biomass Quality," AFB-net NEWSLETTER -2, September 1998, Austria, pages 4 - 5, downloaded from website address www.etsu.com/Europ/AFB/contents.htm .											
WCH	Duke, James A., "Arundo donax L.," Handbook of Energy Crops (unpublished), downloaded from website www.hort.purdue.edu/newcrop/duke_energy/Arundo_donax.html on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	Molnar, S.J., et al., "Initiation of totipotent tissue cultures from undeveloped axillary and secondary ears," downloaded from website www.agron.missouri.edu/mnl/54/41molnar.html on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	Perdue, Robert E., Jr., "Arundo donax: Source of Musical Reeds and Industrial Cellulose," originally published in ECONOMIC BOTANY, 1958, U.S.A., downloaded from website www.wuarchive.wustl.edu/doc/misc/org/doublereeds/general/cane.html on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	Taylor, Marsha, "Cultivation of California Arundo Donax," 1971, revised and annotated 1996, U.S.A., downloaded from website www.oboe.org/donax.htm on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	Veselack, Marilyn S., "Arundo Donax: The Source of Natural Woodwind Reed," U.S.A., downloaded from website www.idrs.colorado.edu/Publications/DR/DR2.1/arundo.html on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	"Biology of Arundo donax (Giant reed, giant cane)," downloaded from website www.smslrwma.org/ADBiology.htm on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	"Invasive Alien Plant Species of Virginia," written with assistance from Stephen E. Zurek, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, downloaded from website www.vnps.org/invasive/FSARUN.html on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	"Plants Profile," downloaded from website www.plants.usda.gov/cgi_bin/plant_profile on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	"Propagation of Arundo donax - Giant Reed," downloaded from website www.grasses.co.uk/arundo/arundo_m.htm on February 4, 2002.											
WCH	"Totipotent Regeneration," ACCESS EXCELLENCE, About Biotech, © 1999 @ the National Health Museum, downloaded from website www.accessexcellence.org/AB/WYW/fink/fink_7.html on February 4, 2002.											
EXAMINER		DC Jones							DATE CONSIDERED Feb 21, 2003			
EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP § 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to the applicant.												



Form PTO-1449		Docket Number Optional 16139/09017		Application Number 10/068,584			
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION IN AN APPLICATION (Use several sheets if necessary)		Applicant Marton et al. (USC)		Filing Date 02/05/02			
		Examiner Haas		Group Art Unit 1661			
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE	
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation YES NO	
WCH	WO 00/66757	11/09/00	Rogers	C12N	15/82		
OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)							
WCH	✓	Partial international search dated January 14, 2003. Annex to the Invitation to Pay Additional Fees (PCT/US 02/03494).					
WCH		Article published in Aquatic Botany 2000, Vol. 68, pages 239-247 by S.M.D. Rogers and K.S. Sarma entitled Plant Regeneration from Seedling Explants of <i>Juncus Effusus</i> .					
WCH		Article published in Plant Cell Reports 1998, Vol. 17, pages 251-255 by C. Chang and W.C. Chang entitled Plant Regeneration from Callus Culture of <i>Cymbidium Ensifolium</i> var. <i>Misericors</i> .					
WCH		Article published in Biotechnology Letters April 1994, Vol. 16, No. 4, pages 397-400 by A. Ali and W. Sawahel entitled Callus Induction and Maintenance of <i>Zea Mays</i> Kernels.					
WCH		Article published in Plant Cell, Tissue and Organ Culture 2000, Vol. 62, pages 21-25 by Y. Lin et al. entitled Plant Regeneration from Callus Culture of a <i>Paphiopedilum</i> Hybrid.					
WCH		Partial international search dated January 8, 2003. Annex to the Invitation to Pay Additional Fees (PCT/US 02/03493). ✓					
WCH		Abstract of article published in American Journal of Botany June 1998, Vol. 85, No. 6, Page 89, XP009002295 by C. Linder et al entitled Tissue Culture and Regeneration of the Giant Reed.					
EXAMINER WCH Haas			DATE CONSIDERED March 7 2003				
EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP § 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to the applicant.							

RECEIVED

FEB 27 2003

TECH CENTER 1600/2900